

## Lasianthus barbellatus, a new species from Pulau Tioman, Pahang.

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Leaf and group of flowers of *Lasianthus barbellatus*, reduced to 1/5.

*Lasianthus barbellatus*. Fruticulus 3-pedalis. *Rami* glabri. *Folia* subcoriacea, breviter acuminata, basi cuneata, supra glabra nitentia, infra in nervis majoribus pilosa, 3.5—4.5 poll. longa, 1.5 poll. lata: nervi utrinque septem, infra elevati: nervuli transversi indistincti: stipulae lanceolatae, acuminatae, pilosae. *Cymae* sessiles, .25 poll. longi. *Calyx* longe-pilosus: lobi lanceolati, acuminati. *Corolla* alba, tubo glabro, lobis tubo paullulo brevioribus oblongis.

PAHANG. In sylvis ad oras portus "Joara Bay" in insula Pulau Tioman, legit I. H. Burkill cum floribus mense Junio, sub numero 976.

A shrub, 3 feet tall. Branches horizontal, glabrous. Leaves sub-coriaceous, shortly acuminate, base cuneate, above glabrous and shining, beneath with scattered stiff hairs on the midrib and nerves, which are 7 pairs and are elevate beneath, nervules faint transverse, 3.5—4.5 inches long by 1.5 inches wide: petiole .2 inches long, hairy. Cymes sessile, .25 inches long. Calyx long-hairy with lanceolate acuminate lobes. Corolla white, its tube glabrous, horizontal, its lobes oblong, and nearly as long as the tube.